

RODE PARISH COUNCIL

I hereby give notice of a Meeting of Rode Parish Council
To be held in Memorial Hall, Rode
on Tuesday 9th August 2022 at 7.30pm



Dated: 3 August 2022

Hugh Williams, Clerk to Rode PC

AGENDA

1. **Parishioners' Participation:** (to last no longer than 15 minutes) Comments/decisions will only be made during this session if appropriate. Items raised maybe added to the next agenda for full discussion.
2. **Apologies for absence**
3. **Approval of minutes of the meeting held on 12th July 2022**
4. **Councillors Declaration of interest**
5. **Report from District Councillor**
6. **Report for County Councillors**
7. **Actions from the previous meeting**
 - i) Trees – Trees along Merfield boundary – update
 - ii) Tree on The Mead due to be pruned 12 August
 - iii) Clock above The Cross Keys – update
 - iv) Gigaclear ultrafast broadband – update following 'Teams' presentation held on 20th July
 - v) Grass cutting within Christchurch update and possible actions
8. **Climate Change Group:** To note report of meeting held on 19 July (circulated separately) and consider actions
Planned event for weekend of 10/11 September
9. **Highways issues**
 - i) The Sportsman, progress on adoption
 - ii) Yellow lines on Rode Hill/High Street and 20mph restriction in village - update
10. **Planning matters**
 - a. New applications

None
 - b. Mendip decisions

2022/0801/HSE: Replacement of existing conservatory – 3 Orneage Close. Approved
2022/1170/HSE: Erection of single storey side extension – 4 Bradford Road. Approved
2022/1265/TCA: Eucalyptus, reduce by 2m; acer reduce roadside by 0.5m – 5 Lower Street.
Approved
 - c. Other planning matters

2021/0071/OTS: Development of Barbara's Field to build up to 49 dwellings. Update on appeal by developer. To consider what action the PC should take prior to the appeal.
NB: The Council reserves the right to consider planning applications not listed on this agenda that may have been received by the Council after the agenda was issued.

11. Playing field

Rode Playing Fields Constitution – progress on new Constitution

12. Church Farm

Update – report of meeting with Autograph Homes (18 July) and to discuss outstanding issues

13. Memorial Hall: Report of AGM

14. Local Community Networks (LCN): To receive report of Frome LCN meeting held on 3rd August

15. Buses: Update on current bus timetable and possible changes in autumn

16. Cold weather: Is there any help the Parish Council can give to those within Rode who are facing difficulty in paying increased energy bills in winter.

17. Allotments

To consider Rode Allotment Association request for use of land at end of The Mead for allotments, update on inspection of land.

18. New website: To consider creation of new website for both Rode village and the Parish Council

19. Financial matters

- i) To note VAT repayment
- ii) To agree payments

20. Items for next agenda/Items to report/Any other business

21. Date of next meeting

To confirm Tuesday 6th September for next meeting

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